Entered 1-13-04 - sb **CL 04L0007** - GWENDOLYN BURNS

04-ℓ **-0195**

CLAIM OF: JACQUELINE L. MEEKINS

3010 Vineyard Way, SE Smyrna, Georgia 30082

For vehicular damages allegedly sustained from driving over a pothole on December 5, 2003 at Old Valley Road & Peachtree Road.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY:

JERRY L. DELOACH DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY



ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFTEY &

LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON, CMC

February 25, 2004

55 TRINITY AVENUE, S.W. SECOND FLOOR, EAST SUITE 2700 ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30303 (404) 330-6033 FAX (404) 658-6273

Jacqueline L. Meekins 3010 Vineyard Way, SE Smyrna, GA 30082

04-R-0195

Dear Ms. Meekins:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on February 16, 2004. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Thorda Lauphin Johnson

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC

Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. <u>04L0007</u>		Date: <u>January 26, 2004</u>				
Claimant /Victim	JACQUELINE ME	EKINS				
BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.)						
Address: 3010 Vinya	rd Way, SE, Smyrna, Georg	gia 30082				
Subrogation: Cl	aim for Property damage \$_	436.00 Bodi	ily Injury \$ Improper X Peachtree Road, NE			
Date of Notice:1/8/04	Method: Wri	itten, ProperX	Improper			
Conforms to Notice: O.C	.G.A. §36-33-5 <u>X</u>	Ante Litem (6 Mo.)	X			
Date of Occurrence 12	<u>/5/03</u> Place:	Old Valley Road, NE & P	eachtree Road, NE			
Department <u>PUBLIC W</u>	ORKS Division	1 Street Operations				
Employee involved		Disciplinary Action:				
NATURE OF CLAIM:	Claimant alleges that her	vehicle sustained damage	when she drove over a pothole			
in the road. However, the	e claimant is not the owner	r of the vehicle A subsec	quent claim has been filed by			
Enterprise Car Rental, the	legal owner of the vehicle.	i or the venicle. It bueses	quent claim has occir fried by			
INVESTIGATION:						
Statements: City emplo	yee ClaimantX	Others X Wr	ittenOralX			
Pictures Diagra	ms Reports: Police	e Dept Report_	Other			
Traffic citations issued: (City Driver	Claimant Driver				
Citation disposition: Cit	y Driver	Claimant Driver				
BASIS OF RECOMME	NDATION.					
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Function: Governmental	X	Ministerial				
Improper Notice	More than Six Months	Other X F)amages reasonable			
City not involved	Offer rejected	Compromise settl	ement			
Repair/replacement by In	s. Co. X	Renair/replacement by	City Forces			
Claimant Negligent	City Negligent	Joint C	Claim Abandoned			
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RECOMMENDATION		()				
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Committee Action.		Council Action				
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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I PGS 1-12, EXCEPT:04-R-0242

ADOPT

YEAS: 11
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 1
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

Reconsidered 5425
Reconsidered 5425

В	Smith	Y	Archibong	Y	Moore	NV	Mitchell
Y	Starnes	NV	Fauver	Y	Martin	Y	Norwood
Α	Young	Y	Shook	Y	Maddox	Y	Willis
Y	Winslow	Y	Muller	Y	Boazman	NV	Woolard

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I PGS 1-12, EXCEPT:04-R-0242

RECONSIDER

YEAS: 12
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

В	Smith	Y	Archibong	Y	Moore	Y	Mitchell
Y	Starnes	NV	Fauver	Y	Martin	Y	Norwood
NV	Young	Y	Shook	Y	Maddox	Y	Willis
Y	Winslow	Y	Muller	Y	Boazman	NV	Woolard

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I PGS 1-12, EXCEPT:04-R-0242

AND 04-R-0130

ADOPT

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 2
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

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	2-16-04 Council Meeting
ITEMS ADOPTED ON	ITEMS ADOPTED ON
CONSENT	CONSENT
1. 04-O-0049	33. 04-R-0207
2. 04-O-0125	34. 04-R-0208
3. 04-O-0126	35. 04-R-0209
4. 04-O-0143	36. 04-R-0210
5. 04-O-0144	37. 04-R-0211
6. 04-O-0035	38. 04-R-0212
7. 04-O-0067	39. 04-R-0213
8. 04-O-0233	40. 04-R-0214
9. 04-O-0235	41. 04-R-0215
10. 04-O-0251	42. 04-R-0223
11. 04-O-0231	43. 04-R-0224
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13. 04-R-0190	ON CONSENT
14. 04-R-0228	44. 04-R-0191
15. 04-R-0229	45. 04-R-0192
16. 04-R-0222	46. 04-R-0193
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19. 04-R-0129	49. 04-R-0196
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21. 04-R-0131	51. 04-R-0198
22. 04-R-0189	52. 04-R-0199
23. 04-R-0273	53. 04-R-0200
24. 04-R-0218	54. 04-R-0201
25. 04-R-0219	55. 04-R-0202
26. 04-R-0220	56. 04-R-0203
27. 04-R-0245	57. 04-R-0204
28. 04-R-0246	58. 04-R-0205
29. 04-R-0249	59. 04-R-0206
30. 04-R-0250	60. 04-R-0225
31. 04-R-0274	
32. 04-R-0226	